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In re Application of

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For:

MULTILEVEL STORAGE NONVOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE ENABLING HIGH-SPEED DATA READING AND HIGH-SPEED DATA WRITING

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated June 3, 2003, reconsideration in light of the following remarks and amendments is respectfully solicited.